## 109TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

## H. RES. 1076

Supporting the goals and ideas of a "National Plan Your Vacation Day".

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

September 29, 2006

Mr. Porter submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

## RESOLUTION

Supporting the goals and ideas of a "National Plan Your Vacation Day".

- Whereas vacations create long-lasting and invaluable memories for families to share;
- Whereas travel opens our minds and hearts to different cultures, places, and people;
- Whereas over ½ of employed adults in the United States reported feeling better about their jobs and feeling more productive upon returning from vacation;
- Whereas travel contributes significantly to the global economy, generating \$1.3 trillion in economic activity every year in the United States, significantly contributing to the economy of the State of Nevada where <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> of every dollar spent is due to the tourism industry;

Whereas travel and tourism is among the largest 3 employers in 29 States and the District of Columbia, creating 7.3 million jobs; and

Whereas online travel companies help more than 50 million travelers per year easily plan and book travel accommodations by demonstrating an unwavering commitment to customer service and innovation: Now, therefore, be it

1 Resolved, That the House of Representatives—

(1) supports the goals and ideas of a "National
Plan Your Vacation Day"; and

(2) requests the President to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe the day with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

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